

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
LUBBOCK DIVISION

STATE OF TEXAS,
Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, *et al.*,
Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION No. 5:24-cv-00204-H

JOINT STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE JAMES WESLEY HENDRIX:

The Parties respectfully submit this Joint Stipulation of Dismissal under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), dismissing all claims in the complaint (Dkt. 1) against Defendants without prejudice. Each party will bear its own fees and costs. The Parties respectfully request that the Court close this case.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on November 20, 2025, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served via the Court's ECF system to all counsel of record.

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